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Tast of Social Standing. Old Portknarld—Sh! My wife has a pearl necklace concealed in her bosom! Customs Inspector—Huh? Old Portknarld—Don't overlook it, that's all! She wants to get her name in the papers as a society leader!—Puck.

Properly Thimble. Clark Howell of Atlanta tells of the sad case of an elderly dandy from Georgia, charged with the theft of some chickens. The negro had the misfortune to be defended by a young and inexperienced attorney, although it is doubtful whether any one could have secured his acquittal, the commission of the crime having been proved beyond all doubt. The dandy received a pretty severe sentence. "Thank you, sah," said he cheerfully, addressing the judge when the sentence had been pronounced. "Dat's mighty hard, sah, but it ain't any thing what I expected. I thought, sah, dat between my lawyer dat you'd speak of my lawyer dat you'd hang me, shore!"

THE DARWINIAN THEORY. Count De Brog—I would like to show you my family tree. Miss Gotrox—Oh! please do; I've never seen a cocoon! tree!

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ear with sudden pop of the cork. If then the present agitation makes it impossible to manufacture cheap Champagne as the champagne country people who want to be satisfied with that made in other places. In killing champagne workers succeed for 15 years and the champagne will be left but a few big houses, manufacturing the true champagne in small and the rest will be cheap champagne at any price they like.

Not Mr. Faust. Hubby—You really must reduce your dress bills, my dear; they are far too large. Mrs. Faust—How inconsistent you men are. You never fast, although I made out the bills.—London Tatler.

Disappointed. Conscience—Oh, I'm quite better now, thank you. Mrs. Conscience—Quite better! After my walking over four miles to see you!

WESTERN CANADA BEYOND THE PIONEER STAGE

Liberty-Loving People Have All the Liberty the Heart Can Desire Under Canadian Laws.

The New York Commercial of April 19th contains an interesting article on conditions in Western Canada. The following extracts will prove instructive reading to those who contemplate moving to Canada. The writer speaks of land at a rate of \$15 an acre. As a matter of fact, there is very little land that can be had now at that rate, but when one considers this land it is safe to say that in two years' time there will be little available at less than \$20 an acre. Already the first greenhouses in the open prairie districts are becoming exhausted and the homesteaders have to go farther back to the partially wooded areas. This is no drawback, however. Some people distinguish guests to plant trees, shrubs or flowers as a mark of their visits. We see the fruits of this custom in the historic plantings Mount Vernon—trees planted by Lafayette and Thomas Jefferson and the rose bush planted and named for his mother-in-law by Gen. George Washington. It is the outgrowth of this same custom which has prompted many of our presidents and distinguished foreign visitors to plant trees in the White House grounds at Washington. Attached to the flower garden proper on many an old Virginia estate is a series of terraced boxes which were used in the old days, if not at present, for growing small fruits and vegetables for the use of the household in many instances these kitchen gardens were screened with a box and the gravel walk were neatly bordered with the same rich-hued shrub so that the general effect was almost as pleasing as that of the flower beds themselves.

Not the least of the factors that go to make up the beauty of the old-fashioned garden in Virginia is the stately counterpane walls, and even miniature castles such as is common in the famous formal gardens of England and France, which has lately been copied in some of the newer estates of our millionaires in the vicinity of New York in New England and elsewhere. Whereas this form of horticulture is lacking the Virginia garden are embellished by many an artistic touch. For instance, the grassy or flower-banked terraces which can be rendered so effective have been introduced whenever the character of the garden seemed to render it advisable, and fountains, stone garden seats, etc., are to be found just as in the gardens laid out in more precise fashion. The gardens of the Old Dominion also disclose a wide variety of pergolas, arbors and summer houses. Some of these are of rustic construction and almost all of them are unpretentious in character compared with the ornate buildings to be found in twentieth century gardens where money has flowed like water.

Perhaps the ideal time to visit an old Virginia garden is in the spring or early summer when the prim box hedges have time on every branch, giving them a new coat of soft green and imparting the touch of feathers when the hand is passed over the soft surface. Rose time is also a good reason because roses were over one of the most cherished charges of the old-time gardeners in this favored clime, and here one may find in all their glory a number of beautiful varieties, such as the Nelly Curtis which will not be encountered elsewhere unless they have been transplanted from Virginia soil. But in reality it is injurious to the rose reason above other intervals in the prolonged blossom time. The chief ambition of the owner of a colonial garden in the Old Dominion has ever been to so select and arrange the flowers that the garden will be "a continual mass of bloom from the advent of the magnolia, the snowball and the lilac in the early spring until the passing of the Virginia creepers, the jessamines, the passion vines and the hardy cypripediums of the waning season.

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Paris Siege Bread. A collector of curiosities in Boston shows with pride a piece of bread that was baked in Paris during the siege. Of course, it is now harder than a brick, and looks unpalatable. It is a relic of the so-called loaf of Gaucier, in Emile Bergeret's memoirs—*Les Bûches de Paris*, which has been published. Recollecting the events of the siege he has much to say about the bread.

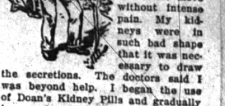
"I think some persons must have kept their class case. I was attested for two reasons. In the first place, in the severest days of the siege, there was for each month only a mouse's quantity of grain. This was utter starvation. The Parisian, as is well known, is a great bread eater; he can deprive himself of anything else, but ordinarily he must have at least 150 grams." Bergeret, in the second place, does not believe that the substance could survive the armistice. Chemistry could do nothing with the armistice, but he attested that he ate the bread without any discomfort.

"This bread was Danteque and not to be analyzed. If I had been *Jules Favre* at *Ferrières*, I should have simply thrown a biscuit on the table in front of Bismarck and said: 'Smell it. The city is yours.'"

Privilege. Visitor—Why don't you get out of this town?—Native—No, but I can always tell you how I would have done elsewhere if I'd ever have gone away.—Puck.

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In the meantime two additional fire companies chafed up, and these new-arrived fire fighters, in their respective lines toward the burning building, when little Ariene cried: "Oh, mamma," she cried, springing her peck out of the crowd, "here comes more firemen dragging their hosey behind them!"—Lippincott's.

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